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SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

REFS: (A) STATE 124539; (B) STATE 136934; (C) BRUSSELS 6019

1. WE WELCOME INDICATIONS REFTEL (D) THAT GOB WILL SUPPORT ECOSOC EFFORTS TO ARRIVE AT AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS BUT ARE NOT CERTAIN HOW TO EVALUATE THIS COMMENT AS GOB REP TO ECOSOC WORKING GROUP ON CORRUPT PRACTICES HAS ON OCCASION EXPRESSED STRONG RESERVATIONS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU COULD OBTAIN A CLEAR INDICATION OF WHETHER THE GOB WILL SUPPORT U.S. PROPOSALS FOR OECD MINISTERIAL COMMUNIQUE (REFTEL B) AND SPECIFIC PROPOSALS FOR ECOSOC WORKING GROUP AND COUNCIL MEETING (REFTEL A).

2. WE ARE ALSO CONCERNED THAT GOB DOES NOT PLAN TO SEND EXPERT TO CONSULTATIONS JUNE 20. WE CONSIDER THIS MEETING CONFIDENTIAL

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AN IMPORTANT OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS SUBSTANTIVE POSITIONS THAT MAY BE ACCEPTABLE TO INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES- IN VIEW COMPLEXITIES THIS SUBJECT, WE DOUBT GOB CAN PARTICIPATE MEANINGFULLY WITHOUT REPRESENTATION FROM BRUSSELS.

3. WE ASSUME REFERENCE TO JULY 20 (REFTEL C) WAS IN-ADVERTENT. CHRISTOPHER

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